

BY AUTHORITY.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH,
Honolulu, H. I., Oct. 16, 1895.

The regulation of the Board of Health relating to the quarantining of island vessels at the port of Honolulu has been rescinded.

The regulation forbidding the making of Poi in that portion of Honolulu lying between the Nuuanu stream and Liliha street has also been rescinded.

By order of the Board of Health,
WILLIAM O. SMITH,
President.

The Evening Bulletin,

With which is incorporated the
"Independent."

DANIEL LOGAN, Editor.

FRIDAY, - - - OCT. 18, 1895

CAPTAIN SMITH.

It is not "the function of a newspaper to circulate charges in order that they may be denied," but, when accusers put their names to charges that they have been circulating privately, it is better for all concerned that they should be printed. Then the accused has an opportunity of refuting them effectively once for all if he is in a position so to do. Before a newspaper makes charges against an official on its own account, however, it ought to investigate both sides. Correspondence signed by the real name of the writer is on a different footing from that which is anonymous. The BULLETIN of its own knowledge has no charges to make against Captain Smith, but, as the testimony that has been published about him is contradictory, this paper is of opinion that it is the duty of the Government to strictly investigate the matter. No official should be retained in place if there is a suspicion of crookedness attached to him. Mr. Johnson is reported to have said, since the captain's denial was published, that he had personal knowledge of the opium deal by the accused. If such an assertion is untrue and malicious, Captain Smith has a remedy in the laws of the land. Since the foregoing was written three dredger workmen make the charges regarding the lumber more specific than before.

OBSERVATIONS.

This paper is not opposing harbor improvement. It simply stands for the carrying out of plans made long ago at considerable cost, and never to our knowledge successfully discredited, instead of chasing round after all sorts of theories propounded by persons who are as ignorant of the commercial as they are of the engineering problems involved.

Elsewhere will be found related the plan of a French missionary for compelling Chinese in their own land to be civil to the stranger within their gates. It is nothing less than putting a strong foreign military police in the leading cities. The article reprinted is from an English paper of two months ago. Our latest mail news tells that Great Britain has intimidated the Chinese authorities with her war vessels into making some show of keeping their ferocious foreign-hating populace in check. At the same time there is information indicating that the usual oriental duplicity is being exercised, as it is pointed out that the viceroy who has been "degraded" for conniving at the recent outrages was similarly disciplined last year, yet it appears had been restored to the face and favor of the Government.

If the deluge that struck Kahuku last night be repeated on this side of the mountains Nuuanu stream will get a proper flushing.

Our humorous philosopher is keeping up his stroke very well, and his wisdom does not require a quartz crusher to expose its golden gleam.

Sir John Thurston, Governor of Fiji and High Commissioner of Great Britain for the Western Pacific, will be here, on his way back from England to the seat of his authority, by the steamer Warrimoo on November 24. He has proved himself an able administrator of affairs in his jurisdiction.

How would it do for the taxpayers to ask Minister Damon to stand on a chair and whirl the treasury balance in the air so that they can see it, like the patrons of a bank out west are said to have done with the cashier in a Detroit Free Press story copied elsewhere?

Proof sheets of Dr. Surmann's letter, which appeared exclusively in the BULLETIN, were mailed by E. C. Macfarlane to correspondents at San Francisco, for the sake of the probably favorable effect the document will have on the Coast in allaying fears of contemplating visitors to the islands.

Filibuster rumors are more absurd the farther they originate from our shores. Those from the Sound and San Diego were mild in comparison with the late one from Chicago. The Boston product simply overdoes with the most obviously factitious fabrications of the fakist. It seems to confirm our prediction made a few weeks ago of a fresh crop to follow the arrival of the news that ex-Minister Thurston had come out in favor of army and police reduction.

It is gratifying to observe the arrangements ripening for giving effect to the land settlement policy of the Government. Notwithstanding what croakers may say there is little doubt that great results will inure to the country's prosperity from systematic land settlement. The BULLETIN does not anticipate a great rush of American farmers to the new territory, but nevertheless expects that not a few stragglers with muscle and money will drop down. There is certain to be a goodly number of men now in the islands, too, who will take up their homes in the oases amidst the seas of lava.

What folly to say that, if Dr. Surmann is right in his diagnosis, the doctors who declared the disease Asiatic cholera are censurable! Doctors have not ceased to differ and there is not one in the world who has not something to learn every day. The sickness was enough like the real article from Asia to make it the subject of no less stringent suppressive measures than those adopted. Asiatic cholera had a beginning sometime and it is easy to imagine any similar disease, in circumstances favorable to its propagation, developing a type just as malignant as the dread of the world.

Deluge at Kahuku.

Four and a half inches of rain fell at Kahuku between 7 o'clock last night and 7 o'clock this morning.

It kept on raining until 11 o'clock, about five inches more being precipitated, making the total rainfall for sixteen hours 9.33-100 inches. The downpour was accompanied by thunder and lightning.

Timely Topics

-- ON THE --
MONARCH AND TRIBUNE.

The latest news concerning bicycles on the Coast is to the effect that wheels are becoming more popular than ever and that the trade in wheels is developing to an enormous extent.

Los Angeles wheelmen are having trouble with their pneumatic tires, as some evilly disposed person is scattering tacks in the city streets, but a few tacks more or less will not make much difference on Honolulu streets, for they are so full of holes into which the tacks would naturally drift that the wheels would bounce over them, holes and all. Everybody is using a bicycle, and the Monarch and Tribune are the wheels having the largest sales.

Bicycles are even coming into use at funerals, for we read that in a Wisconsin village recently a funeral procession was very largely made up of men and women on bicycles, the deceased having been a member of a bicycle club. It may seem a little odd at first to go to a funeral on a bicycle, especially in bloomers of the colors generally worn, but the time is coming in which the ladies will have appropriate bloomers. The Monarch Ladies' Wheel is the proper one for processions of all kinds; and not to have one is to get left in the rear.

An absent-minded Attleboro (Mass.) man left his bicycle in front of the postoffice in that town recently and walked home. The next morning he looked in vain for it in his barn, finally remembered where he had left it, and, going there, found it in the same spot where he had left it. The people of that town must have been equally as honest as those of Honolulu, and business must have been about as dull as it was here when the Board of Health put an embargo on business of all kinds and nearly stopped bicycle traffic.

But times are better now and we expect to sell about 500 wheels between now and Christmas. We have a large lot of Monarch and Tribune wheels on hand, racers, ladies' and children's wheels and a complete assortment to suit all sizes and conditions of men.

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